

Notorious Henry Starr is Shot Down in Bank Robbery

Cashier Fires From Inside Vault; Pardoned Bandit's Two Pals Escape Over the Snow Fields After Raking Up Cash on Counters; Posse Gives Chase.

(By the Associated Press)
HARRISON, Ark., Feb. 19.—Physicians said this afternoon that Henry Starr, shot in a bank robbery here yesterday would live.
J. M. Wexley, president of the Peoples National Bank, which was held up, this afternoon was authorized by the statement that Starr refused to disclose the identity of his three pals.
"I cannot talk of them," Starr is quoted as saying.
"I know that Starr did not name Buck Davis and Tom Jones as two of the three men who were with him," said Mr. Wexley. It had been reported that Starr at the jail named them as two of his pals.
Reports from the posse at 3 o'clock indicated Starr's three companions had not yet been captured.
The three men are believed to be the same who held up the bank at Selkirk, Mo., just across the Arkansas line in December. They escaped into Arkansas and are believed to have been hiding in North Arkansas since that time.
MUSKOGEE, Okla., Feb. 19.—A telegram Mrs. Henry Starr, divorced wife of the outlaw, received here this afternoon.
HARRISON, Ark., Feb. 18.—Henry Starr, notorious ex-bank robber, was shot and seriously wounded here this morning at 10 o'clock when he, with three companions, attempted to rob the Peoples State bank, lying on what is believed to be his death bed at the county jail, admitted his identity, but refused to give any information concerning his pals, who are now surrounded in a wood two miles south of the town by an armed posse of more than 100 men.
Starr had gathered in approximately \$5,000 in money from the counter and then ordered Cashier D. C. Hoffman to open the bank safe. When the bandits entered, W. J. Myers, 60, a former president of the bank, was standing near the vault. Unseen by Starr, he stepped into the vault and finding a rifle there, waited until Starr turned his head, then quickly fired, the bullet entering Starr's right side just below the ribs. Starr fell to the floor and was overpowered before he could use his gun. His companions fled from the building and jumping into a high-powered car started south.
Posse Is Quickly Formed.
A posse was quickly formed and started in pursuit, holding the bank in sight for two miles where they stopped, set fire to their automobile and rushed into the woods. The posse immediately a dozen around it and it is believed the fugitives will be captured before nightfall.
The robbers obtained no money. Starr had the \$5,000 stuffed in his pockets and was seeking all the currency in the bank when he ordered the cashier to open the safe.
Circled Town.
The weather here was ideal this morning and the roads good. The bandits as nearly as can be learned drove into town early this morning and shortly before robbery circled the town and cut all the telephone wires. Communication with the outside world was practically cut off.
The identification of Starr was made complete this afternoon when George J. Crump, an attorney who had known him in Oklahoma, victim of the bank robbery, identified him at the jail.
The vault into which Myers stepped when the robbers entered with revolvers drawn was used for keeping books and bank papers, the safe used for the currency. Cashier Hoffman, when requested to open the safe, stepped to do so with Starr covering him with his revolver and his companions keeping the other occupants of the bank occupied. Starr in his anxiety stooped over to watch closely Hoffman, and at that moment Myers fired the shot that brought the raid on the bank to a sudden end. But one shot was fired. Starr could not reply and his pals as their leader fell, dashed out of the building without returning the fire.
Starr underwent an operation at a hospital here in an effort to save his life and dictated telegrams to his wife at Muskogee and his son, Henry Starr Jr., at Oklahoma City, who was expected to die with case, "boots on," Starr told officers here.

May Revoke Parole.
OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 19.—Oklahoma outlaw, reported shot at Harrison, Ark., today was pardoned two years ago by Governor Robertson from a 25-year sentence on a bank robbery charge. It was the second parole for Starr, he having been freed from prison in territorial days by presidential pardon on a similar charge.
Starr was paroled March 15, 1919. He was convicted in Lincoln county in August, 1915, and sentenced to the penitentiary. He was captured in March, 1915, after having been shot, following the robbery of two banks in Stroud, Okla. His parole was granted because he gave information which led to the capture and conviction of two members of the gang with which he was connected.
Gov. Robertson said today when informed that Starr had been shot, that if it is definitely established that the wounded man is Henry Starr he would revoke the parole at once.
The other members of his band who were tried with him at the time he was sentenced to 25 years in the Oklahoma penitentiary received terms of five and seven and half years. This was said to have been taken into consideration when his parole was granted.
"Getting Along Well."
The last report from Starr on file at the pardon and parole office at the state house is a letter from a Kansas City written Nov. 1, 1920, in which he said he was getting along well in a moving picture venture.
In recommending a parole for Starr in Feb., 1919, Streeter Speakman, county attorney of Lincoln county at the time of Starr's conviction said "Considering the age and crippled condition of Starr, I believe he will bring his career as a bank robber to a close as soon as he regains his freedom. He is a man of unusual intelligence, he is not a low, depraved type of humanity and is capable of making a good citizen. I believe that if the state deals fairly with him in this matter, in time he will be fair enough when he regains his citizenship to lead the life of a good citizen."

Harvest of Death Among Little Ones
PARIS, Feb. 17.—A strutting increase in the number of deaths of children in Budapest in the past year is shown by official reports of the Budapest health department received here.
The figures of 1914 which showed that the number of births exceeded the deaths by 208,000 were approximately reversed in 1920. Forty-five percent of the deaths were of children under seven years old, while 37 per cent were of children from the homes of the poor.
"This proves," the health department states, "that infant mortality in Hungary is due chiefly to miserable conditions in general and particularly to underfeeding."

Took \$11 For His Wife, Gets 25 Years in Pen
OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 19.—Twenty-five years in the state penitentiary for holding up and robbing L. B. Moody of this city of \$11 at the point of a gun Thursday night, was the sentence pronounced on Larc Marwarin, service car driver, today by Judge James I. Phelps in district court here. Marwarin confessed to the robbery, according to the police. The prisoner told the police he was forced to rob to get food for his wife.
"I sympathize with your wife, but she is better off without you," commented the judge.
Vetoed Cigarette Law.
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 17.—Gov. McRae this afternoon vetoed the bill which would repeal the Arkansas anti-cigarette law and license the sale of cigarettes. The governor in his veto message said that he first thought of signing the bill and asking that a new bill be passed providing for higher license fees, but decided to veto the measure and at the same time give assurance that he would sign a bill which provided license fees at least double those provided—\$25 for wholesalers and \$10 for retailers.

Married at Sallisaw.
FORT SMITH, Ark.—Henry Starr in the Harrison, Ark., bank robbery today, has been living in Sallisaw, Okla., for the past several months, but has not been seen there for two or three weeks, according to a telephone message from there this afternoon. Starr married Hulda Starr, a boyhood acquaintance at eight months ago. They are

NOT IN THE BIBLE.

A versatile write in the Ardmore Daily Ardmoreite expresses popular sentiment when he says that "We can not find anywhere in our Bible aught which tells us that we shall be better enabled to enter the Kingdom of Heaven through going about with long and unsmiling faces on the Sabbath day; and cheating, wronging and defrauding our fellowmen during the other six days of the week."
And in a long ex-claim we add, "Well said, brother!"
Puritanical Blue Laws can not make man moral.
And a long and unsmiling face bespeaks a gloomy soul, a heart weighted with sorrow and bitterness; yet so much joy and happiness doth a cheerful countenance bespeak. Be ye therefore ever so light-hearted that thy spirit may be uplifted and not borne down into ye sloughs of depression and despondency which driveth mankind from God.

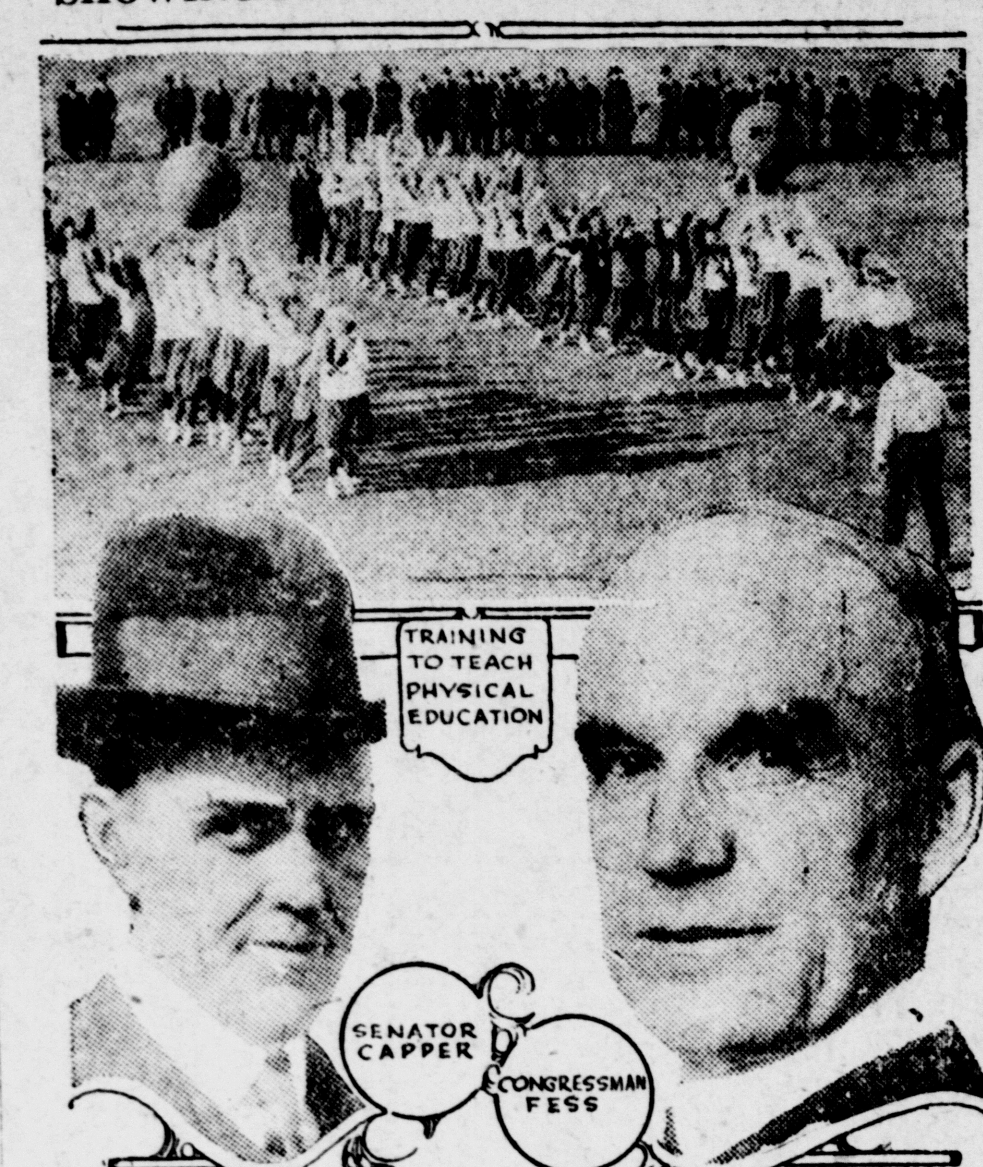
SURE PENALTY IS CHECK FOR CRIME

New York Police Find a Remedy by Advertising Punishment.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—"Certainty of punishment, rather than severity of it, is the cure for crime," says Raymond B. Fosdick, police and criminology expert.
Fosdick's opinions carry weight, because of several years' study of police systems of America and Europe and the causes, prevention and cure of crime.
"The causes of crime are interwoven with its prevention and cure," said Fosdick.
"Cure means two tremendous reforms: a complete making over of our criminal court system, and the absolute divorce of police from politics."
"These reforms cannot be accomplished speedily. It must be a slow process of education.
"I read every few days of legislatures considering the passage of laws increasing the penalty for crimes.
"That doesn't mean anything. We do not check crime while punishment remains uncertain.
"Certain Penalty.
"It is better to make a 20-year penalty certain—or even a 10-year sentence—than to have a 40-year penalty that is never inflicted.
"A jury would be all the more hesitant to convict a man if the sentence was fixed at 40 years than it would be if the penalty were 20 years.
"Mixed population in America is named by Fosdick as one of the big causes of crime.
"He calls the London and Paris police departments far more efficient than American forces, but says this is largely due to the homogeneity of population there.
"Causes of crime," Fosdick says, "include these three big divisions: poverty—or more properly speaking, economic maladjustment—drugs and liquor.
"War Is Cause of Crime.
"The war must be listed among the causes of recent increase in crime. It was the same after the Civil War, after the Napoleonic wars and after the Thirty Years War. A 'crime wave' after the Civil War lasted three years.
"There is no doubt that we have had a crime wave, both in the volume and spectacularity of crimes.
"There is as much room for crime prevention in our communities as for fire prevention or the prevention of disease. But we will never get far so long as politics hamper police efficiency."

Robber Death Bill in Arkansas Killed
LITTLE ROCK.—By a vote of 44 to 41, the Arkansas house today killed the senate measure which would have made robbery a capital offense punishable by death or life imprisonment. The house also set March 4 as the date for consideration of the bill passed by the senate yesterday over the governor's veto, which would permit the sale of cigarettes under license and repeal the present law prohibiting their sale in the state.

CONGRESS STARTLED BY FIGURES SHOWING PHYSICAL UNFITNESS OF YOUTH



Startling facts on the lack of physical fitness of the young people of the country are revealed in figures presented to a committee of Congress now considering the Fess-Capper physical education bill. The statements, backed up by leading authorities, both military and civil, are regarded as being so serious that the women of the country, through their organizations, are beseeching the House and Senate to take official cognizance of the situation. If Congress take the sentiment of the country favorably, it is said action may be expected.
Here are some of the things that have startled Congress: Thirty-seven per cent of the young men of the United States were found unfit for complete military service. This statement is made by General Leonard Wood. The high percentage of school children retarded by physical deficiency adds an unnecessary \$32,000,000 annually to the cost of education in the United States. Five million young people under nineteen, in industry, lose time and pay doctor bills estimated at \$72,000,000. The preliminary physical training of 50,000 "raw recruits" for the army costs \$9,000,000 every year.
The Fess-Capper bill now being considered by Congress aims to correct the alarming condition by establishing physical education in the schools. E. Dana Caulkins, of Washington, D. C., a well known physical education advocate says this investment would pay a health dividend of many times the amount involved.

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BILL AIMS TO STOP CHILD LIFE WASTE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 19.—"Sixteen thousand mothers die in the United States each year from causes connected with child birth," says Jules Schevitz, general secretary of the Oklahoma Public Health association, which sponsors the bill Mrs. Bessie McColgin, Oklahoma's only woman representative, has introduced in the state legislature and public health nursing in the state health department.
"One hundred thousand babies are still born and as many more do not live one month. This tremendous loss of life is due largely to the poor physical condition of mothers during pregnancy, or to the poor obstetrical service they receive. It is to prevent this that this bill is especially designed.
"Each loss at child birth is a blow to the country. The women who die from this cause are lost to the time of the greatest usefulness to the state and to their families and they give their lives carrying out a function which must be regarded as the most important in the world.
"What Bill Provides.
"Institution of a child hygiene and public health nursing bureau in this state will save thousands of deaths of infants. It is a proven fact established by accurate statistics that proper care and instruction at child birth and during confinement will greatly reduce the mortality rate. The bureau is designed to furnish this service for every needy mother in the state and to be the nucleus of a state health nursing bureau."
The McColgin bill provides for the institution of the state health department and authorizes the commissioner of health to appoint a chief of the bureau and an assistant, both of whom shall be public nurses. The chief of the bureau is to act as supervising nurse for the state.

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FREIGHT WRECK ON KATY TRACK TIES UP TRAINS

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Train service has been tied up on the M. K. & T. railroad since 1 p. m. yesterday by a freight wreck which occurred one mile north of Byng. The wrecker arrived from Oklahoma City at 9 p. m. and all available men have been working to clear up the track since that time.
Passenger trains 15, 19 and 20 were detained yesterday via the Frisco and Rock Island lines between Ada and Shawnee through Hologville, and southbound passenger train No. 20 is using the same route today. The track may be cleared in time to permit northbound passenger train No. 19 to use the Katy rails to Shawnee this afternoon.
Eighty empty coal cars in a southbound freight train left the rails on a fill one mile north of Byng, tearing up over three hundred feet of track and leaving six of the overturned cars where they will have to be picked up by the wrecker before the track can be rebuilt.
The cause of the wreck is not known and may never be determined. The second car from the engine was the first to leave the rails and the next several cars behind followed its course.
The train was composed of 25 cars and it was necessary to pull the north end cars back to Konawa before the wrecker could get up to the wreck to do its work.
Due to the fact that all of the telegraph and telephone wires on the Katy right of way between Coalgate and Konawa are down and out of service as a result of the snow blizzard, it has been impossible for the office here to get in touch with other offices of the company and no reports have been received from the wreck today.

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Normal Cagers Win Victory Over Team From Oklahoma City
Winning with the largest score as yet made this season over any opponent, the Normal cagers were successful in "pouring it on" the Oklahoma City College quintet last night in the Normal gym with a score of 48 to 4. Although the score was greatly in favor of the local lads, the game was interesting throughout and the spectators were thrilled with the numerous excellent plays made by the team.
The first half began with the Normal taking the lead with several field goals and although they were met with strong opposition from their opponents they shot goal after goal and gained a big lead which was never surpassed by the college team. This half ended with the score standing in the Normal's favor, 34 to 4.
The visitors proved themselves good losers however and entered the second half with an obstinate determination of winning. Both teams put forth their best efforts, but the locals met with such resistance that they only succeeded in making a total of 14 points as compared with the 34 points made in the first period. The Oklahoma City boys failed to make a point in this half. The final score was 48 to 4 in the Normal's favor.
Owing to the heavy snow which had fallen during the day and was still falling during the game there was not a very large crowd out, but those who were there witnessed an interesting game. Both teams played clean, hard and creditable ball, which was a great factor in making the game so interesting.
The same teams will play again tonight, beginning at 7:30, but despite the fact that they lost the first game by so large a score, the Oklahoma City boys are determined to even things up tonight. All who like to see good games by men who know how to handle the sphere will be given that chance tonight.
The following is the line-up of mer that Clara started the game with: Little, center; C. Roach, guard; Cooper, guard; Chisolm, forward; Harrison, forward, and substituted the following men: Dorsey, guard; Sherman, center; H. Roach, forward. Wray refereed the game.
Field goals made by the Ada team:
Little, 8; Harrison, 5; Chisolm, 3; C. Roach, 4; Sherman, 2; Roach, 2.
Emigration Suspended.
TRESTLE, Feb. 17.—Emigration from Central Europe to the United States has been suspended and the eastern frontier of Italy have been closed pending the cleaning up of the sanitary situation here.

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MALESTER, Feb. 19.—Calloway Miller and William Martin, negroes, are both dead as a result of a fight with officers after the negroes it is alleged had robbed the home of Domine Marengell, a Mexican at Dow, Oklahoma, Wednesday afternoon about 3:00.
The two negroes are alleged to have gone to the house of the Mexican, who lives three blocks south of the company store at Dow, and while the housewife was washing the family wash in the backyard the negroes are alleged to have entered by way of the front door and robbed the house of about \$51. As the negroes were leaving the house they were met by the Mexican, with knowing the character of the negroes became suspicious and soon verified the suspicion that the negroes had visited his home for no good purpose.
After the negroes left the house of the Mexican they went to the company store and made a purchase of some cartridges. It happened that Henry Neubauer, constable of Dow township was in the store at the time and the young lady clerk, being busy, asked the constable to wait on the negroes, which he did, selling them a box of .45 revolver cartridges.
The negroes then left the store and went back in the neighborhood of the Mexican's place, where they were met by the irate Mexican and accused of the theft at his home. The negroes are alleged to have opened fire upon the Mexican, probably to frighten him, firing five shots.
In the fight which followed, both negroes fell mortally wounded, one dying instantly, the other a few minutes later at a hospital.

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Sulphur Girls Meet Defeat at Hands of Local High Sextet

By a score of 36-20 the Ada high school girls basketball team defeated the girls of the Sulphur High last evening at the local high school gym and reasserted their claims to the in-her-high school championship this season.
The game was warmly contested. Neither of the teams had been defeated this season and both were anxious to prevail. The first half closed with Sulphur leading the score by 15-10. The Sulphur rooters were wild in their enthusiasm at the close of the first half and acted as though victory was only a matter of time.
The home girls entered the second period with new determination and within the first three minutes three goals were shot placing them one score in the lead of their rivals who were unable to cope with the whirlwind playing of the locals. The gap continued to grow between the relative scores until the final whistle.
Defeat was accepted with a good grace by the visitors and they promised a return defeat for the home team when they visit them the first week of March.
The Ada centers starred in a number of difficult plays and received the best of co-operation and support from the other members of the team. One time during the last half of the game the sphere was handled in a series of lightning like passes by the entire six and a goal was shot in beautiful and masterly play, which could not have been improved on by the most expert players.
Following is the line-up:
Sulphur: Forwards, Wright and Ryan; centers, Long and Mills; guards, Ballenger and Brown; substitutes, Plunkett.
Ada: Forwards, Roach and Mount; centers, Dags and Love; guards, Mooney and Harrison; substitutes, McNew and Reed.
Referee, Frisco Vernon; time-keeper, O. Vernon. Time 15-15.

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ETERNAL THINGS:—We look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal.—II Cor. 4:18.

FALSE ECONOMY.

Not satisfied with having dilly-dallied away seven weeks of valuable time with not a single bit of constructive legislation to its credit, the house of representatives of the Oklahoma legislature will now pause to consider a bill which has for its purpose the abolition of eight state institutions, among these being the Normal schools at Alva, Weatherford and Ada.

A new-born Moses—one M. M. Watson, republican representative from Chandler, Lincoln county—springs suddenly into the limelight inspired with a holy desire to save money for the state in order that the big surplus now reposing in the treasury might increase, and laboring under the apparent delusion that "we aint needin' no educatin," introduces the bill which is based on a false doctrine of economy.

We believe, for the benefit of Representative Watson, that it would not be amiss to call attention here to what the Ada normal means to the state. We know the majority of his fellow legislators know the value of education and will rightfully vote against him.

The purpose of the Normal school is, of course, to train teachers for the public schools of the state. Pursuant to this purpose, the Ada Normal has directed its attention primarily to the preparation of teachers, although it has also afforded many people an opportunity to get a secondary and a higher education, even though these persons did not plan to teach school. Last year the East Central State Normal enrolled 1339 students, exclusive of those taking work by correspondence and those who were enrolled in the Model School. Last year the Ada Normal school granted sixty-nine life certificates, 169 two year state certificates, and sixty-seven one year state certificates. In addition, hundreds of young people prepared here for passing the county examination and securing county certificates. This year the enrollment is slightly larger than it was last year. It is quite likely that the number of those who will receive life certificates will reach 80, and the number of those who receive two year state certificates will reach 175. In other words, last year 305 people received state certificates through the East Central State Normal school, and this year the number will be from ten to twenty percent larger than that.

It is understood, of course, that most of the rural teachers who have any preparation in advance of the eighth grade get their training in normal schools. It is quite probable that ninety percent of the teachers in the East Central district have received at least some training at the Ada normal.

Recently a study was conducted in an effort to ascertain how East Central is functioning in preparing teachers for the town and consolidated schools of this district. Approximately eighty-five percent of the teachers in these village or consolidated schools have received their training in one of the State Normal schools of Oklahoma, and over fifty-three percent of them have received their education at East Central. In cities of the first class, too, a large number of teachers receive their training in the normal schools of the state; 51 percent of these city teachers in the East Central district receive their training in the Ada Normal. Not only is this true, but letters from city superintendents from all parts of the district state that the reason they had not employed more East Central trained teachers was the fact that they were unable to get them, the demand being far greater than the supply. In view of these facts it is certain that East Central Normal school is fulfilling the purpose for which it was established.

It is exceedingly hard to see how the Ada Normal school should be included in the schools listed for slaughter. This institution has, since its establishment, usually ranked second largest in point of enrollment, and has never ranked lower than third. The charge cannot, therefore, be justly made against it that it has not grown sufficiently. In fact, it is unlikely that the matter of function or growth or enrollment was considered by the author of the bill. He has never visited this institution, and probably has not firsthand information concerning it.

The demand for economy over the country is very strong. Economy and thrift are excellent virtues, and no one could be considered a wise counsellor who disregards these virtues. But to economize at the expense of the schools is the greatest fallacy that could possibly be committed. Education should never be regarded as an expenditure. It is an investment, and the State of Oklahoma cannot possibly invest too much in the hearts, consciences, and brains of her future citizens. United States Commissioner Claxton says that the greatest need of our education system today is better trained teachers, and to secure these he recommends that we spend three or four times as much as we are now spending on our normal schools. Contrary to the advice of the United States commissioner of education, there seem to be those in the legislature who would strike first of all at the teacher training institutions.

There are those, also, who mistagely believe that we

have too many normal schools in this state. We do not have as many normal schools as some of the most progressive states in the Union have. Pennsylvania has thirteen, New York eleven, Massachusetts ten, Wisconsin nine, California eight, West Virginia seven, Minnesota, North Carolina, Alabama, Maine and Oklahoma each have six. Oklahoma is, therefore, squarely in line with the most progressive states of the Union, and the founders of this state should be complimented for their wisdom in providing these institutions.

The State Teachers' association of Oklahoma, comprising a membership of 12,600, at its last meeting, unanimously adopted a resolution stating that any failure to provide liberally for the normal schools of Oklahoma would be considered inexcusable. In other words, the experience of our most progressive states, the views of United States Commissioner Claxton, and the judgment of the teachers, principals, and superintendents of Oklahoma are all in favor of the normal schools, and it is only a handful of pseudo economists who are opposing them. But unfortunately, some of the amateur statesmen are in official positions where they may do much harm.

Finally, it may be stated that the East Central State Normal school at Ada is progressing nicely. It has a competent faculty, an enthusiastic study body, and a consciousness of its duty toward the tax payers of the state. The rural, village and city teachers of the district, as well as the county and city superintendents are, without exception, friendly to the institution, and there is absolutely no excuse for any attack upon it at this time either in the legislature or elsewhere.

The over-zealous legislator who would make a showing by chopping down the foundation upon which lies the hope for building a greater Oklahoma would do well to pack up and go home if he cannot find something better to do.

No legislation has yet been evolved that will keep soft cider from turning hard.

The Kentucky tobacco growers seem to think that those grand old war prices ought to last forever.

January Clearance, an old resident is now doing business again in all the business sections of town.

The Forum of the Press

Oklahoma Times: The town council of Scott's Bluff, Neb., passed an ordinance banishing all forms of dancing and motion pictures. It went a step further, forbidding those under 21 from being away from home after 8 p. m. Scott's Bluff couldn't have conceived of a better way to drive its young and spirited boys and girls into larger cities.

Shawnee News: Judge Landis is one of those rare men who are capable of holding more than one job at a time, a fact which is appreciated fully by the attorney-general of the United States.

Bartlesville Enterprise: A doctor says the cemeteries are full of people who thought they were not sick enough to need a doctor. Yes, and there are a lot of others there who would be running around yet if they had waited until they were sick enough before they called the doctor.

Heminy News: The movie house managers are pretty much at the mercy of the production pirates. The effective remedy of the public is to rise up against the producers and the tendencies of the business generally and not against individuals. A boycott of trashy pictures is in order.

Ardmore Ardmoreite: Without entering into any argument about the tariff rates, we feel certain that the Frisco out of Ardmore, gives the traveling man the longest ride, in point of number of hours, for his money, of any road in Oklahoma.

Bartlesville Examiner: Now that the non-partisan league is in the state we are interested more in finding out how long it will find it profitable to stay in than we are in locating the man who left the gate open.

Daily Oklahoman: The Texas lawyer who was recently tarred and feathered and left without any clothes, would probably be pleased to accept any kind of a suit now.

Bartlesville Examiner: Some of the wets are declaring that prohibition is making hypocrites out of men. It's a mistake. Many men who used to drink secretly are now boasting openly about it.

Heminy News: Some wise member of the real estate trust in Tulsa says the way to promote home-building is to combine and keep the prices of lots up. There is some such idea lurking in this neighborhood, too. The proper treatment for such profiteers is to tax vacant lots about half way between their original cost and the speculative value. Then the owners might be willing to consider selling.

Cushing News: Victor Berger is not an American, and it is only natural for him to denounce the president who directed the war against Germany. Woodrow Wilson is a patriotic American; he is ill and has been for a long time; he is the recognized head of the greatest nation in the world, and when any man of any class, race or nationality, uses such language about him he should be stood up against a wall and shot.

Heminy News: Heminy is not so illiterate, after all. We heard a girl inquiring for "David Copperfield" and at least three people failed to rush up and tell her that

David died on his allotment near Heminy about a year ago.

Sick Times: A bunch of drunks were rounded up Sunday afternoon by local officers and locked up in a boxcar for the night. They were taken before Judge Drumright Monday morning at 9 o'clock and given ten dollars and the usual trimmings.

Shawnee News: Just how the man of real means can wantonly lie about his property to the tax assessor, giving in the value at possibly a third what it should be on even a 50 per cent basis and still sleep well nights is beyond the understanding of an upright man.

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TELLS OF DUTY OF BUSINESS WOMEN

They Should Be Given Even Break With Men, One Lady Says.

TULSA, Feb. 19.—"The ideal place for the average woman is in the home as the wife of a good man and the mother of a family of children," Miss Lena Madison Phillips, executive secretary of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's club, said in an address delivered here at a joint meeting of the Kiwanis club and the business women's clubs.

"Equal pay and equal service are two of the things we stand for in our national organization," she added. "We want the sex element left out of business and women in business considered simply as individuals. We are trying to help the women of the country rise to a state of efficiency where they will be worth the equal wages we are asking for them."

"Women need to cultivate the sort of courage that will permit them to wear low heel shoes to work when high heels are style and to wear sensible dresses to their work. Men do not wear their cast off dress suits to work and women should not do it either."

"Women in business will have to learn to quit enjoying their misery so much."

"Another thing business women should not let the fact that they are forced voluntarily or involuntarily into business interfere with their social pleasures. They should go as much as they feel they are able to go and not encroach on their needed rest periods. The all-around woman is the ideal woman in the business world as well as she is the ideal woman in the home."

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SECRETARY OF STATE HAS ISSUED MANY CHARTERS

(By the Associated Press.)
OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 18.—Charters issued February 10, 11 and 12 by Joe S. Morris, secretary of state, include:
Cushing Benevolent association, Cushing. No capital.
Tulsa Country Club, Increased capital from \$50,000 to \$100,000.
Noel Manufacturing Co., Cushing. J. C. Neal, W. T. Walker, C. E. Rrooge, Cushing; capital, \$25,000.
Triangle Distributing Co., Alva. B. L. Peters, D. M. Peters, Alva; G. D. King, White Deer, Tex.; capital \$5,000.
Lilly Gasoline Co., Sapulpa; M. B. Downs, I. F. McGee, R. V. Rule, Sapulpa; capital \$75,000.
Majestic Clothing Co., Healdton; C. L. Diddens, O. G. McCarroll, J. A. McKnight, Healdton; capital \$20,000.
Coalgate Coal Co., McAlester, (branch); capital \$15,000 in Oklahoma.

KING'S SPEECH TO DRAW FORTH ATTACK

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Opposition leaders in the house of commons were prepared at the opening of today's session to begin debate on the speech from the throne delivered by King George yesterday. Former Premier Asquith and John Robert Clynes, former food controller, gave indications late yesterday that the king's address was unsatisfactory in many respects. Mr. Asquith declaring: "It was not able for its omissions."

J. H. Thomas, one of the labor leaders in the house of commons took especial exception to the part of the king's speech relative to Ireland. It was expected that the coming conference of allied and German delegates in this city, the revision of the treaty of Sevres, Mesopotamia, Ireland and domestic affairs, would be discussed today or tomorrow in the house.

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ELKS WILL HOLD STATE CONVENTION AT ARDMORE

(By the Associated Press.)
ARDMORE, Feb. 19.—The Oklahoma state convention of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks will be held here May 23 and 24, according to an announcement by the state executive committee. The committee on arrangements and entertainment has been named and will meet with the local officers to work out convention programs.
More than 500 delegates and visiting Elks are expected to be here during the two days. Many of the out of town clubs will bring their own bands and it is planned to enter floats in parade to be staged by the local order. An added feature of the convention will be the initiation of the May class of the order in Ardmore. A ball will close the convention.

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Henryetta	38	22.80
Madill	109	60.00
McAlester	44	26.40
Muskogee	100	60.00
Norman	84	50.40
Oklamah	36	21.60
Oklahoma City	83	49.80
Oklmulgee	52	31.20
Pawhuska	113	67.80
Sapulpa	88	52.80
Shawnee	37	22.20
Sherman	125	75.00
Sulphur	60	36.00
Tulsa	105	61.00
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The Answer.
I asked of God in earnest prayer
The future life to ken.
Clear came the answer unto me:
"Love well your fellow-men.
Perfect that love in helpful deeds,
In service brave and true,
And in whatever worlds you fare
It will be well with you."

Each friendly deed to one in need—
A step by which we rise
To mounts of vision, whence we see
The light of farthest skies;
The skies that reach to other
worlds.

To other worlds than this—
The Holy Land of Heart's Desire,
Home of Eternal Bliss.
—N. S. Hoagland.

Missionary Society Entertained
Mrs. A. Linscheid was hostess to the Missionary Society of the First Christian church Monday afternoon. There were about 25 of the ladies present to enjoy this beautiful reception. The home on South Francis was beautifully and appropriately decorated for the Valentine season and was good to look on.

Mrs. Harbert was leader and gave an interesting talk on the 43rd Psalm. After the lesson, the hidden answers were written on hearts, which were very pretty, and appropriately given, the hostess then pronounced the president of the society, Mrs. Margaret Lee, as queen of hearts, and she with the secretary, Mrs. Jim Couch, served dainty refreshments.

Mrs. Linscheid is a wonderful entertainer and all who are invited to her home regret the departing hour. The society will hold many more interesting and helpful meetings.

Prayer Day Postponed
The day of prayer which was to be held at the First Methodist church has been postponed until Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. All who are on the program will be requested to appear at this time instead of the first mentioned time.

Misses Jewell and Thelma Wetherington of Shawnee are in the city visiting friends.

T. J. Wallace is in the city from Dallas, Tex., visiting his parents and visiting other relatives and friends.

Miss Bertha McAdams of Shawnee arrived in the city yesterday morning to spend the week-end with her sister, Mrs. H. S. Walters.

Mrs. John Summers left yesterday for her home in Ardmore after spending several days here visiting her mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Williams, who have been in the city the past two weeks visiting relatives, left this morning for their home in Holdenville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Norman, who have been in the city from Sherman, Texas, for the past three days, left this morning for Holdenville where they will visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Atkins, before returning to their home in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Burden and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burden of Nowata, Okla., arrived in the city yesterday to spend several days visiting relatives and friends and to look after business matters. They were guests at the Harris hotel last night.

Farmer Who Fought Pistol Duel To Get Hearing Monday

Emmett Bales, a farmer living near Lula, will be arraigned Monday morning for preliminary hearing before Justices Brown and Fisher on two charges of assault with intent to kill. The cases are the results of a shooting affray which occurred in the depot at Lula a month ago, in which Bales is said to have been the aggressor.

Because of the fact that the same witnesses will be used in both cases it is probable that both of the cases will be tried at the same time with both of the justices on the bench. Fifteen witnesses will be placed on the stand by the state, several of whom are said to be eye witnesses. The trial will likely take up most of the day.

John Hall and Joe Johnson, both farmers of the Lula neighborhood, claim that Bales opened fire on them with a pistol while they were in the depot transacting business. Hall was shot three times, one bullet passing through the flesh of his left arm, another through his right ear, and a third through his left foot. Two shots were fired at Johnson, neither of which took effect.

Bales was shot twice in the right side before he escaped from the room. He was arrested the evening of the shooting at Tupelo and was brought to Ada and placed in the hospital the following day. He was transferred to the jail a few days later when it was discovered that his wounds were not dangerous. He was released the same day on bond of \$2,000 for appearance in each case.

Neither of Hall's wounds were dangerous but his injured foot has given him considerable trouble. He is now in this city at the home of a friend.

Learn Telegraphy.
Earn \$115 to \$250 per month when proficient. Can be learned in four months. Instruction from 10 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m.—Ada Telegraph School, Room 16, Guarantee State Bank Bldg., Ada, Okla. 1-5-11

WOMAN WILL BRAVE JUNGLE WILDS TO FIND AND PHOTOGRAPH THE MISSING LINK



Mrs. Roy Andrews with her son George.

Very few women indeed would care to travel in the wilds of Asia, but Mrs. Roy Chapman Andrews, wife of the noted explorer, is an exception. She is planning to accompany her husband when he leaves New York for Asia, where he hopes to find the missing link and to photograph the Garden of Eden. Mrs. Andrews will be the official photographer of the party, which is being organized under the direction of the American Museum of Natural History. She is shown here with her small son George.

Starr Began Bandit Career in Arkansas

Had Been Twice Pardoned But Couldn't Resist Devil's Call.

Henry Starr, one of the last of the old school of territorial desperadoes, who was shot yesterday at Harrison, Ark., robbed his first bank at 10:20 o'clock on the morning of June 5, 1892 at Bentonville, Ark., when he, accompanied by "Kid" Wilson and the Chaney brothers after a gun battle with citizens, escaped with \$11,000 in gold and silver.

Prior to this robbery, Starr had been known in the old Indian Territory as a horse thief and had, it was charged, robbed two or three stations on the Missouri Pacific railroad near the Arkansas state line.

Police Detective Ike Wilkinson was at Bentonville, Ark. when Starr and his gang camped at the "Mason Flatwoods," ten miles southwest of Bentonville and on the way to the town next morning they overtook a farmer named Barr who had just sold his farm for \$1,500 in cash and was bound for Bentonville to deposit his money.

Starr and his gang compelled the farmer to accompany them and later overtook another farmer named Below. This farmer, too, was compelled to accompany the bandits and both of them were forced to hold the bandits' horses while the bank was being robbed.

Captured in Colorado
A few months later Starr and his right hand man, "Kid" Wilson, were captured at Colorado Springs, Colo., without resistance. He was eating sumptuously in a restaurant when the officers walked into the cafe and sat down as though to eat. At a given signal they covered him with revolvers and Starr, looking coolly into the muzzle of the guns, without raising his hands asked, "Who do you think you've got?"

"Henry Starr," one of them replied, and Starr admitted his identity and raised his hands. He was later taken to Fort Smith, Ark., placed in the federal jail there, tried and sentenced to serve 15 years in the federal penitentiary at Columbus, O. He appealed to the United States supreme court and was successful in raising three new trials, all of which resulted in his conviction.

Soon after his last trial Cherokee Bill, a character desperate as Starr was placed in jail charged with bank robbery. In some way Cherokee Bill obtained possession of a pistol and killed one guard. Starr was permitted to enter Cherokee Bill's cell and succeeded in talking him out of the pistol. For this accomplishment he was pardoned by the president of the United States.

Half-Breed Cherokee.
Starr was a half-breed Cherokee Indian, son of Hop Starr, who died in 1888. He was five feet, nine and one-half inches in height, had straight black hair and eyes and a good looking beardless face. At the time of the Bentonville robbery he was 21 years old.

His first arrest was made at Muskogee in June, 1891, on a charge of introducing whisky into the Indian Territory. He paid a fine for this offense.

His next arrest was in February, 1892, for horse stealing. He was found not guilty. In August, 1892, he was again arrested for horse stealing and was released on bond furnished by his friends. He forfeited this bond.

In the meantime he committed several robberies, notably the robbery of the express office at Nowata, Okla., when he killed a railroad detective who tried to arrest him. He was convicted on a charge of murder and sentenced to serve 25 years in the federal penitentiary at Brooklyn, N. Y. In some manner, however, he was given a pardon after serving two years of this sentence.

In August, 1915, Starr led a gang into Stroud, Okla., where he robbed two banks and was captured after an 18-year-old boy, firing a Winchester, had shot him from his horse.

Pardoned by Robertson. After much delay Starr was finally tried and sentenced to serve 25 years in the state penitentiary. He was paroled by Governor Robertson two years ago, after serving one year, for having turned state's evidence against the men who participated in the robbery of the Stroud banks.

Following his parole Starr announced that he was "through with the old life" and had "reformed." He organized a stock company for the production of a motion picture called "The passing of the Oklahoma Outlaws."

The picture depicted many of Starr's robberies and ended with Starr in the role of a "law-abiding citizen engaged in lawful pursuits."

NEGROES ARE KILLED IN DUEL WITH "LAW"
McALESTER, Okla., Feb. 17.—Callaway Miller and William Martin, negroes, are both dead as a result of a fight with officers after the negroes it is alleged, had robbed the home of Mommie Marcangell, a Mexican, at Dow, Okla., yesterday afternoon.

SIX ARE INDICTED IN BOND THEFT PLOT

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Indictments were returned by the Shelby county grand jury against W. L. Huntley, Jr., a banker, M. B. Joseph, a local jeweler; R. E. Huddy, a bond banker; H. Dages Nolan, drug store owner and two other men, whose names were not made public in connection with the disposal here of liberty bonds identified as part of the loot obtained when a broker's messenger was held up in Brooklyn Nov. 3, last and robbed of bonds valued at \$466,000.

WILL PERMIT IMMIGRATION OF ASIATICS IN PHILIPPINES

MANILA, P. L. Jan. 10.—(Correspondence).—Two chambers of commerce and one labor union, the Philippine Chamber of Commerce, the Philippine-Chinese Chamber of Commerce and the Chinese Federation of Labor—through a referendum vote of their members have decided by an almost unanimous vote in favor of immigration of Asiatic laborers into the Philippine Islands with certain restrictions.

All three bodies have prepared arguments which are to be presented to the legislature with an appeal to enact legislation admitting foreign laborers for the purpose of relieving the labor shortage in the Philippine Islands, especially in agricultural districts.

Around Our Town

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

R. T. Morgan of Tulsa is here for a few days on business.

Have your Photo made at West's.

Ada Seed & Feed Co., Phone 697. 11-3-1m.

Mrs. Ed Wilson of Konawa is in the city visiting a friend who is seriously ill.

Phone 456 for Bishop the tuner 2-14-1mo*

Shelton sells furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1f

H. B. Barnes returned yesterday from Stillwater where he has been for several days on business.

Servive car. Call Randolph or Brown. Phone 506 or 126. 1-21-29*

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W. W. Willingham of Muskogee left today for his home there where he will spend the week-end with his family, after spending the week in the city looking after business matters.

Auto service, new car, 25c anywhere in city, day or night, Phones 282 or 413-J. B. A. Clock. 2-17-26id

Old timers in this community are rubbing their chins today and telling about the big snow. "She's the biggest I ever saw." "I remember way back, but no snow like this ever fell here," and other such expressions are to be heard from them.

School and office supplies.—WEBB BOOK SHOP, 120 South Broadway. 2-17-1f

I treat all rectal diseases with the least of pain. I guarantee the cure of pile tumors without the knife.—R. T. Castleberry, M. D. 2-5-26id

Outdoor work has been temporarily halted here on account of the heavy snow. However many of the citizens have been busy most of the morning shoveling snow off the walks, roofs and other places where it is obstructive.

J. A. Cowling left last night on the Frisco for Mexico City, Tampico, Vera Cruz and other points in Old Mexico where he will spend about 20 days looking after business matters. He will probably return by way of water through Galveston, Texas.

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This booklet is the last of the stories of Our Government. We are contemplating a new series of articles that will be equally interesting and instructive. We shall be glad to put on our list the names of all those in this community who wish to receive them.

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E. T. Burk, proprietor of the Burk's Style shop, returned to the city yesterday afternoon from the eastern markets where he has been for several days. He brings with him a beautiful line of the latest styles in Ladies' Ready-to-Wear and states that he has the best showing for Ada ladies of spring goods ever exhibited in the city.

The East Main Garage is prepared to handle your auto repair work. Expert mechanics are on the job at all hours. 2-19-4td

Dr. J. J. Hickman received a wire from Mrs. Hickman this morning announcing the death of her mother, Mrs. Mary Linthicum, of Horton, Kansas. Mrs. Hickman was with her mother during her illness. She was 89 years of age.

Is there something wrong with your engine? Take your auto to the East Main Garage and they will set it right in a jiffy. 2-19-4td

The Home Economics club of the Normal will present the "Mishaps of Minerva," a comedy drama in the Normal auditorium Tuesday evening Feb. 22. Final preparations are now being made and those in charge are pleased with the probable success of the undertaking. The proceeds will be used in the support of a French orphan girl which the club has adopted.

If I met you in a desert, thirsting for water, and I knew of a spring that would save your life, it would be a sin not to tell you. Many are dying slowly, when osteopathic treatment would save their lives and restore them to health; it is sin not to tell them about osteopathy. I want to meet you one and all, call and just see what is being done. Dr. J. M. Beets, Osteopathic Physician, over First National Bank. 2-17-2dt*

COP KILLS COP; THEN CALLS HEADQUARTERS

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—Policeman William Hinz last night shot and killed Policeman Thos. E. Powers in a saloon quarrel, then telephoned a report of the crime to his superior, Lieutenant James Daley, who ordered Hinz's arrest.

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GO TO THEATRE

McSwain.

Having fought such well known hard men of the screen as Bull Montana, Harry Northup, Frank Brownlee and Nick de Ruiz in his recent features, Frank Mayo, who is always expected to put up at least one lively scrap in every picture in which he appears, sought fresh heroes to conquer in his latest photodrama, "Tiger True," coming to the McSwain theatre today.

And Frank is no piker, as all movie fans know. So he engaged no other than Al Kaufman for his antagonist in the big fist-fight which occurs in one of the scenes of this new story by Max Bland. There may be some who do not follow the sporting events will recognize in this name one of the most prominent of pugilistic heroes known at Kaufman but those who of a few years ago.

The U. S. A. Girls in an entire change of program.

Opening Monday at this theatre is Fritz Fields' Beauty Parade, a company of sixteen performers featuring Fritz Fields, comedian of ability, with a wide reputation among theatre goers everywhere. Vaudeville acts and a big beauty chorus, just lots of pep in every performance.

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HOT STORY: AUSTRIA AGAIN HEATS TRAINS

VIENNA, Feb. 18th.—Passenger trains in Austria, at least the express trains, are again to be lighted and heated.

This decision has been reached by the State Board of Railway Control, according to information given the American Red Cross.

Since the mid-war period traveling in Austria has been a hardship. The journey from Trieste to Vienna, now made in 24 hours, took from two days up. Most of the time was lost in the Alps, with the cars unheated and the thermometer below zero.

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Local readers, whether in the personal news column or in run of paper are 10c per line for each insertion. We do not guarantee position for local readers.



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STRAYED OR STOLEN

STRAYED—From my place on last Wednesday morning dark bay horse white spot on forehead, wearing a leather halter; about 14-12 hands high, last seen near Sandy bridge on Center road, will give \$10 reward for his return to me at the Ada News office or 214 East 16th street. John Thrasher.

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LOST—On Main street a watch and pearl beads; reward. Return to P. & E. Grocery. 2-17-31d.

KANSAS MINER WINS BATTLE FOR WAGES

PITTSBURG, Kan.—The Kansas court of industrial relations today ordered the George K. Mackie Fuel Co. to pay Karl Mishmash more than \$200, representing wage increase after he was 19 years old, and ordered the company to reopen mines H and J next Monday and notified the miners not to refrain from work because of the strike order issued on February 3.

Lodges

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—R. H. Gladwill, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26 Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—D. W. Swaffar, H. P.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandry No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday night of each month.—M. P. Manville, E. C.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

B. P. O. E.—Ada Lodge No. 1275 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.—H. Claude Pitt, secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN—Lodge 10954 meets second and fourth Saturday nights of each month, at I. O. O. F. Hall.—J. E. Russell, clerk.

I. O. O. F. Encampment No. 14 meets every Tuesday night.—L. L. Lewis, C. P.; H. C. Evans, Scribe.

I. O. O. F.—Ada Lodge No. 146, regular meeting every Thursday.—A. B. Martin, N. G.; H. C. Evans, Scribe.

URGES PRAYERS FOR OBEDIENCE TO LAWS

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 17.—Governor Neff, in a message to the "people of Texas," given out today, asks that every preacher deliver a sermon, every speaker make an address, and every writer pen an editorial on next Sunday that will help to create a respect for and an obedience to the laws of Texas. The governor declared his belief that "the public conscience should be quickened and public sentiment be aroused" against the "lawlessness and crime now prevailing" in certain parts of Texas.

Slain in Hold Up.

JACKSON, Fla., Feb. 17.—Two masked men last night shot George A. Goodrich, 57, wealthy Atlanta, Ga., contractor, to death and fatally wounded his companion, Walter H. Durdick, retired business man, while they were playingiards in the parlor of a family hotel here.

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SPORTING EVENTS

BASKETBALL TOURNEY.

March 4 and 5 Will be Big Day For High School Teams.

The East Central district basketball tournament for high schools to be held here on March 4 and 5 under the auspices of the Normal will be a great day for athletics in Ada. More than 30 teams, both boys and girls will be here, all competing for first honors for this district.

Coach Clary, who will have complete charge of the tournament, has been receiving letters every day from different schools announcing their intention of attending and most of them are strong teams in the state. Probably the strongest girl teams in Oklahoma will attend the meet and also there will be many boy teams that have won state honors as a fast team.

The success of the meet looks good at this time and it all plans carry, which it is believed they will, this will be a turning point in the history of athletics in this district. As this is the first of its kind ever held here and as it is being started when athletics are only beginning to take a definite place in the schools, it will not be all that it is hoped to be made in the future. Plans for the care of all visiting teams are being made and accommodations for all will be furnished.

All games will be played in the Normal gym which is the best in this part of the state. It is located in a spitable place, and can not only accommodate the teams, but furnish excellent accommodations for spectators.

Basketball fans, who like to see good hard fought games between

experienced teams, and lots of it, will never get another opportunity to do so this year if they fail to attend these games. All high schools in the district have been invited to enter their teams and many classes of playing will be exhibited.

TENNIS SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

University Will Play Many Games During Coming Season.

NORMAN, Feb. 18.—Twenty-nine matches with eight universities face the University of Oklahoma tennis team when it leaves on its northern invasion May 7 according to the schedule announced here. The Sooners open with Kansas May 7 for two singles and one double match. The trip includes the universities of Chicago, Kansas, Northwestern, Michigan, Detroit, Indiana, Illinois and Washington in the order named.

The tour will end May 18 at St. Louis. After meeting the Jayhawkers the Oklahoma team goes to Chicago for a two-days' play. Six matches, two doubles and four singles, are on the calendar. On May 11 the Sooners meet Northwestern at Evanston in two singles and one double match.

The remainder of the schedule includes:

May 13.—Detroit University at Detroit. (Three matches.)
May 14.—Indiana University, Bloomington. (Two matches.)
May 17.—Illinois at Urbana. (Two matches.)
May 18.—Washington at St. Louis. (Three matches.)
The Oklahoma team is made up of Ben and Kirtland Parks and Ferret Darrough, alternate. Last year Oklahoma won all matches

with Kansas, Drake and Wisconsin, broke even in six matches with Chicago and won one of three at Washington.

Big Wrestling Bout.

STILLWATER, Okla., Feb. 18.—The wrestling team of the Oklahoma A. & M. college will meet the Iowa Aggies team at Ames February 18, in the second encounter of the Oklahoma team on its northern trip. The contest with Iowa is the first between the two states.

Following the wrestling dual at Ames, the Oklahoma team will combat the team from the University of Minnesota, later Northwestern and Pennsylvania State.

The Oklahoma team is composed of Swin, 115 pounds; McCutough, 125 pounds; Frost, 135 pounds; Nash, 145 pounds; Lockabaten, 158 pounds; Vokes, 175 pounds; Williams, heavyweight, 185 pounds.

TULSA, Feb. 18.—For the second time this season the basketball teams of Central Normal at Edmond and Tulsa University clash on the local court Friday and Saturday nights. In the two games previously played, at Edmond, the honors were even. A pair of fast games is expected.

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STOVES FOR SALE—One large coal burning stove equipped with gas burner and pipe; one two-burner hot-plate gas cook stove, no oven; two small 15-inch width Reznor gas heating stoves. All these stoves are in good condition and will be sold at a bargain either all or separately; can be seen at the News office. Call for Smith, Foreman Mechanical Department.

Notice of Intention to Fund.

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of February, A. D. 1921, at 1 o'clock p. m., or as soon thereafter as a hearing may be had, the County of Pontotoc in the State of Oklahoma by its proper officers will proceed before the District Court of Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, to make a showing and offer proof, asking said court to hear and determine the existence character and amount of its legal outstanding judgment indebtedness and to sign the bonds to be issued in payment of the same.

All persons interested may be present at the time said proof is made to remonstrate against the issuance of said bonds.

Dated this 7th day of February, A. D. 1921.

Chairman Board of County Commissioners.

Attest: R. H. Erwin, County Clerk. (Seal) 2-8-121d

ADA TRAIN SCHEDULE

Frisco Railroad
NORTH
No. 118—Lv. Daily — 3:25 A. M.
No. 510—Lv. Daily — 11:20 A. M.
No. 512—Lv. Daily — 4:20 P. M.

SOUTH
No. 117—Lv. Daily — 12:47 A. M.
No. 507—Lv. Daily — 9:10 P. M.
No. 511—Lv. Daily — 1:55 P. M.

Santa Fe Railroad
EAST
No. 450—Lv. Daily — 12:10 P. M.
(Local freight, daily ex. Sunday)
No. 446—Ar. Daily — 11:40 A. M.
(Stops here)

WEST
No. 449—Lv. — 10:05 A. M.
(Local freight, daily ex. Sunday)
No. 445—Lv. Daily — 12:20 P. M.

M. K. & T. Railway
EAST
No. 20—Lv. Daily — 11:19 A. M.
No. 16—Lv. Daily — 10:18 P. M.

WEST
No. 19—Ar. Daily — 4:34 P. M.
No. 15—Ar. Daily — 5:42 A. M.

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Church and Sunday School

Sunday Church Program

At the First Baptist Church—The pastor will preach on the subject, "God's Treasure," in the morning service and on the subject, "This Way," in the evening. The clubs and societies will hold their regular meetings at the usual time.

At the First Methodist Church—The pastor will preach of "Life Service" at the morning hour. Beginning at 7:30 in the evening Judge Wimbish will deliver an address on "George Washington" followed by a talk on Christian education by E. C. Morgan of Oklahoma City. The Prayer Day service will be held at the church at 3 p. m.

At the Church of Christ—Church services for this church will be held in the City Hall on account of the erection of the new church.

At the Christian Church—Sunday School begins at 9:30. Christian Endeavors will meet at 7:30.

At the Nazarene Church—Regular church services will be held at this church.

At the Oak Avenue Baptist Church—Sunday School and other church services will be held as usual.

At the Presbyterian Church—Two good sermons by the pastor and other church clubs and societies will meet as usual.

First Baptist Church.

Sunday school meets at our church tomorrow at 9:45 with Mr. J. A. Riddling as superintendent. We had 426 present last Sunday; let's not allow the number to drop too far under this. During January we averaged 423, we want to go above this average for February if possible. It is going to be bad walking tomorrow, but let's don't let that stop us. Monday we will all go to our places of business as usual, and most of the pupils will go to the day schools as usual. If we will do that for our secular callings, why will we not do it for our highest and best selves and for God? The pastor will preach at the morning hour on the subject, "God's Treasure." We hope to have the house filled at this hour. The building will be comfortably warm. The service will begin at 11 o'clock and will close promptly at 12 o'clock.

The Juniors will meet at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Dr. Webster in charge. The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6:15 with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bell in charge.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. will meet at 8:30. Miss Opal Little is president. A splendid program will be given. They are missing several of their members at these meetings, and are extremely anxious to see them, come back.

The evening service begins promptly at 7:30. The pastor will preach on the subject, "This Way." It will be our joy and delight to see you present. The sermon will be evangelistic and an appeal will be made for decisions to Christ. Come and worship with us.

The Woman's Missionary society will meet at the church Monday afternoon in a mission study class. All districts will meet together.

CLYDE CALHOUN MORRIS, Pastor.

Presbyterian Senior C. E.

Consecration Meeting
Leader—Mike Derrick.
Topic—New Work.
Scripture—Revelations 3:7-13.
Prayer.
Song 51.

Please suggest a new way of conducting our consecration meetings.—Don Evans.
How would you conduct the next missionary meeting?—George Bowman.

Give a fresh plan for a social.—Floyd Laird.
What use may we make of flowers?—Wilson Chilcutt.

How can the lookout committee get new members?—Truman Harrison.

How can the lookout committee emphasize the pledge?—Carl Zorn.
How can the music committee improve the society singing?—Hubert Priest.

How can we get more endeavors to pray in meetings?—Charley Greer.

How can the missionary committee arouse more interest in the missions?—Earle Copeland.
Talk—Dr. Overstreet.
Business.
Mizpah.

Presbyterian Intermediate C. E.

Topic—New Work.
Scripture—Revelations 3:7-13.
Leader—Hubert Lowery.
Please suggest a new way of conducting the consecration meetings.—Ed Givens.

How would you conduct the next missionary meeting?—Margaret Chilcutt.

How can the lookout committee enlist new members?—Henry Roach.
How can the lookout committee emphasize the pledge?—Robert Bowman.

How can the missionary committee arouse more interest in missions?—Harrie Lee King.

How can the music committee improve the meeting?—Lucille Crockett.

How can the program committee improve the meetings?—William Roach.

How can the press committee improve the meetings?—Juanita Ford.

Business.
Mizpah.

M. E. Missionary.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church will have its literary and social meeting Monday at 3 o'clock in the church parlors and the following program will be rendered.

Subject—Establishing a city in righteousness.

Hymn 612.

Bible Lesson—The ideal of the real Jerusalem.

Hymn 217.
Prayer—Leader.

Topic—New Orleans, Mrs. Robt. Wimbish.

It's Romantic history—Mrs. R. E. Haynes.

Our work there—Mrs. W. E. McKelvey.

Business News—Mrs. T. O. Cullins.

Mrs. C. L. Orr, leader; Mrs. J. W. Shelton, T. O. Cullins, and J. T. Witherspoon, hostesses. An invitation is extended to all.

Oak Avenue Baptist Church.

B. Y. P. U., Group No. 2.

Subject—What things can I do to work out my own salvation?

Leader—Etta Mae Qualls.

Scripture Lesson—Ephesians, Chapter 2—Lonnie Warr.

Introduction by leader.

The meaning of salvation—Nora Kiehl.

Working out this salvation—Leonard Holloway.

We should make the best use of our lives—Mrs. White.

Vocal Solo—Evangeline Frank.

What we may do to complete or carry out our salvation.—Mrs. J. C. Hynds.

In Christ Stood—Alpha Werington.

Piano Solo—Jessie Bell Ellis.

Lonnie Warr, Capt.

Methodist Church.

Working out this salvation—Leonard Holloway.

The pastor will preach at 11 on the subject, "Life Service." This is the second of a series on the above subject.

At 7:30 p. m. Judge Wimbish will deliver an address on George Washington and he will be followed by Dr. E. C. Morgan of Oklahoma City on Christian Education. All are cordially invited to attend these interesting speakers.

R. C. TAYLOR, Pastor.

Start Drilling at New Location in Ada Oil Field

The Carter-Nance-LaSelle syndicate spudded in Thursday on their test in 32-5-5, twelve miles north-west of Ada. The start was made with 16-inch and the owners say they will drill at least 2100 feet or bring in a good well at a shallower depth.

The same outfit is being used on this test as was used on the well recently abandoned by them in 16-4-5.

The members of the syndicate have had years of experience in the oil game, and claim to know a good prospect when they see it. Their faith in the Ada field is great and one evidence of it is the large amount of money they are spending on this present well and the one which was recently abandoned.

G. A. Nance, of the Carter-Nance-LaSelle syndicate, has interests in the Healdton field and has had since that field opened. He says that the formations around Ada have all the ear marks of another Healdton.

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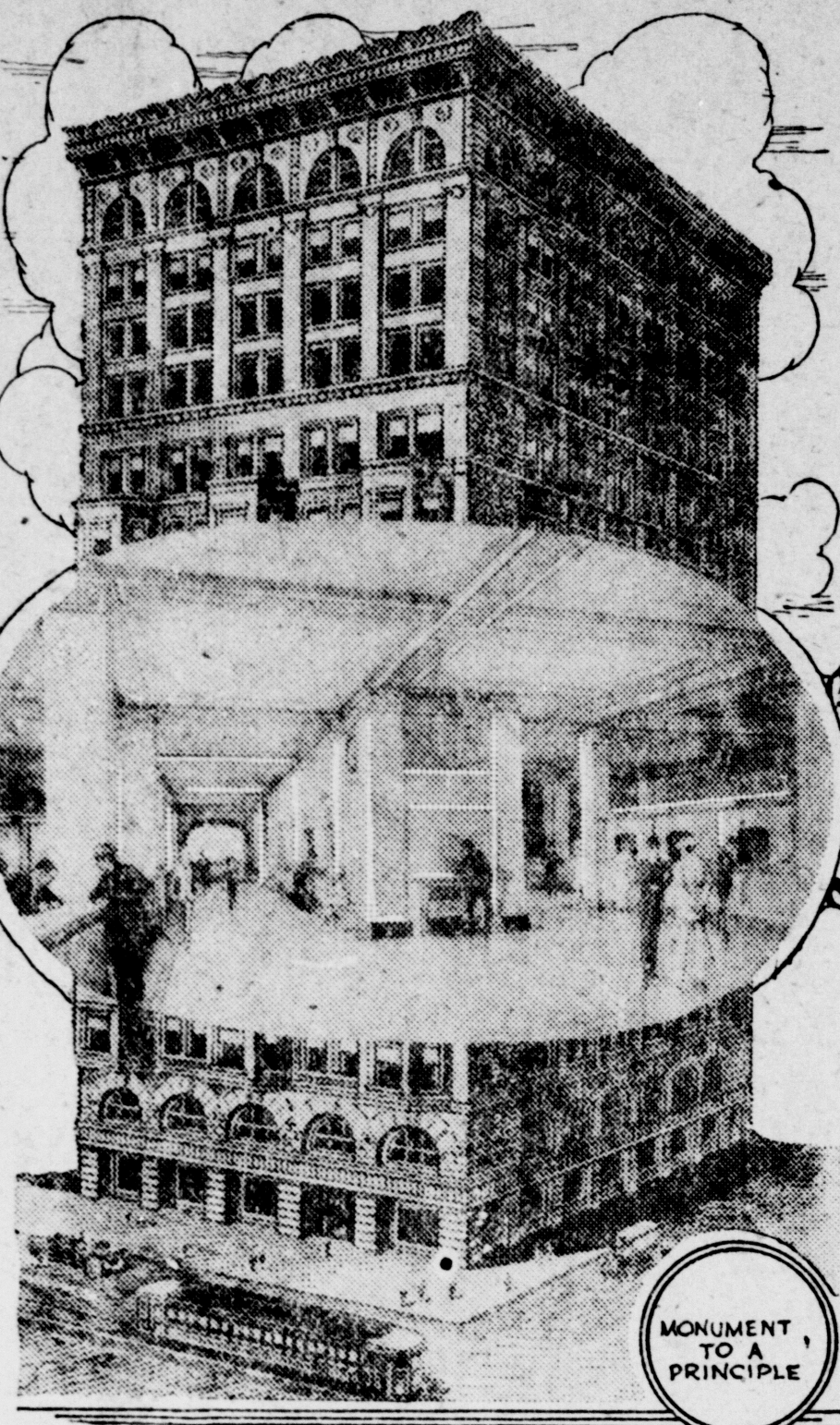
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COUNTY FREE FAIR TO BE LARGER THAN EVER

(By the Associated Press)

CLAREMORE, Okla., Feb. 19.—The Rogers County Free Fair of 1921, now being planned on a more comprehensive scale than ever before, is scheduled for the fair grounds here September 20, 21, 22 and 23, according to a decision of the board of directors.

A committee of three citizens, who have identified themselves in the past with successes attending the annual fair, was appointed to begin work at once on a catalogue, to be issued as early as possible. No fair was held in Rogers county last year because of the epidemic of anthrax.

that has furnished makeshift street lights for Skiatook for a number of years, will be discarded, having been worn out in addition to proving inadequate. It is planned to install 30 or 40 gas lights at various street intersections.

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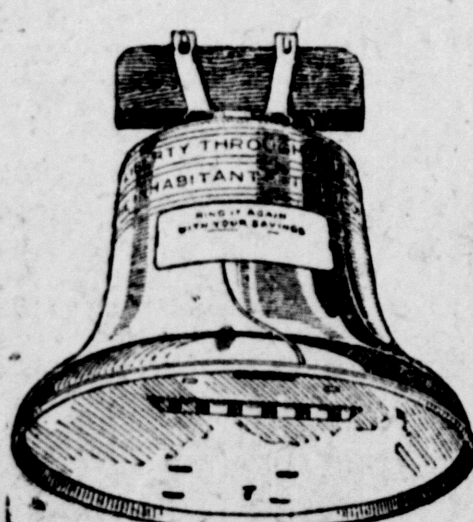
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ROCKY CHAPEL ITEMS.

The farmers in this community are making preparations for the 1921 crops and the past weather has been a great asset to them in doing so.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfrey Brooks returned Saturday night from a three week visit with Mr. Brooks' parents at Maud.

The school here had a Valentine celebration Monday. The afternoon was spent in observing the day of hearts and the students all had a good time.

The music school, taught by Rev. F. M. Lynn which only recently closed has been a good thing among the young folks of this community as it has stimulated interest in singing. There was a large crowd present at singing Sunday night at the school house.

Next Sunday Rev. Huff will conduct church services at Rocky Chapel. All are invited to attend.

T. T. Akers and G. M. Ledbetter were visiting at Pecan Grove last Sunday morning and attended singing at Ahloso Sunday afternoon. They report a nice time at both places.

Mrs. Bell Creech, who has been in poor health for some time, is reported to be improving. Her friends are pleased to hear of her recovery.

W. L. McKinley and family were visiting relatives at Fitzhugh last Sunday.

Mrs. T. T. Akers and son, Dwight, are ill at their home this week.

Mrs. Blankenship visiting Aunt Mae Coley Monday.

Misses Lillian and Ethel Smith visited their sister, Mrs. Wyche, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Gertrude Creech spent Saturday night and Sunday with her friend, Miss Sylvia Phillips.

A crowd of the young people of this community went kodaking Sunday afternoon and report a nice time.

Henry Dew of the Pecan Grove community was a visitor at the home of Mr. Ledbetter Sunday.

Clifford Voyces of Frisco, was visiting Clint Phillips last Sunday.

Mrs. M. H. Phillips was the guest of Mrs. Adams Tuesday evening.

I'M THE GUY.

The Senior Women's Auxiliary of The First Presbyterian church will hold their Easter Bazaar and Food Sale on Saturday, March the 19th. 2-17-3td



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WE SAY PUCK WAS RIGHT.

One time we read where a fellow named Puck intimated that mortals were more or less foolish and we began to notice their actions to see if the fairy king was anything like right in his deductions.

We recently noticed a prominent citizen who was the proud owner of a watch, which he had purchased second-hand for one-half of its original price of fourteen dollars. He was very proud of this watch, for it had a little movement all its own, and its ring was as clear as a marriage bell. But alas! One fine morning the watch became imbued with union labor ideas and refused to even work the usual four hours per day, but went completely out on an unauthorized strike all its own, although it was not originally a striking watch.

Our prominent citizen inquired of two lodge brothers, and the pastor of his church, where he could find a reliable jeweler with years of experience, with whom he could safely entrust so valuable and intricate a piece of mechanism, for he had always heard that the jewels in a really good watch were as unsafe in the hands of most jewelers as the reins of the nation would be in the hands of a Haywood, or a hayseed, and he was not taking any chances.

The next day this citizen drove down town in a new super-sensitive six, for which he had promised to pay as much as his father had spent in his entire life, and had mortgaged his home as a mere formality to convince the car agent that he meant to keep his word. Now, as he ambled along down the street, only a little faster than an express train that is 22 minutes late, he cocked his head to one side, listened attentively, and it seemed to him that the engine said "Kapute," where normally it had been saying "Kapeet." Knowing something was radically wrong he drove into the nearest garage which was located in a deserted and rapidly decaying hay barn. A 17-year-old boy in a greasy suit of union overalls met him at the door, and with the dexterity acquired from six years close association with a double-shovel plow, began to disassemble the two-thousand motor.

We pass over the next two weeks of the car's history, as it is known to every car owner—suffice to say that the second stage of the car was worse than the first—it now made many new, strange and unlocatable noises. It growled like a gopher with the gout and seemed to have secondary convulsions from the entrance of its esophagus to the exit of its exhaust pipe.

We submit in proof of Puck's veracity the man's actions—he drove his car back to the garage and asked them to work on it some more.

KEEP ADA CLEAN.

When we read of the crime wave that is spreading over the country and holding other cities in a grip of terror, we are again thankful that we live in Ada. There are many reasons why we are proud of Ada, and the fact that it is not crime-ridden is not the least. Our police force, limited as it is, has managed to make it unhealthy for the undesirable element which has sought to find prey here.

The activities of our churches and welfare organizations have contributed their share toward making this a clean city, and criminals are not comfortable in a clean atmosphere. Occasionally we hear of a store being broken into, or a home being burglarized. But even in the most peaceful hamlets we will find some brother who forgets that "Thou shalt not steal," that a day is coming when there must be a final accounting before the Master. But there are not many in Ada who forget that the day is coming when they will have to pay off.

Ada is clean. That means that the people here are clean. Through the co-operation of our citizens, and through the efforts of our social and welfare organizations and churches, let us keep it clean. We do not want reports emanating from this city that Ada, too, is in the grip of a "crime wave."

With our police force eternally vigilant, those who eke out their existence like blood-suckers will read the sign on the door, "Ride on!"

WATCH THE LEGISLATURE.

The Oklahoma legislature is now in session and it behooves every farmer to keep an eye on the body of men now legislating in Oklahoma City. More questions effecting the farmer will come before the legislature than any other legislature in ten years. Some of these questions will be to his interest; many of them will be to his detriment.

It is well to remember that there are more farmers in the legislature than any other profession except lawyers. The farmers also have their lobby at the capital this winter and this lobby is composed of men like Frank Carpenter and John Simpson who are abundantly able to plead the farmer's cause. There is no reason why the interests of the farmer should not be well looked after.

But the farmer should not forget the fact that it helps wonderfully for the legislator to hear from home. The great mass of people who hang about the capitol are not farmers and they are not there to help the farmers. These people are the ones who see the legislator every hour and talk to him the oftenest. He is liable to get wrong impressions from them. He is liable to decide that a proposed law is just what the people want when the people do not want any such thing. It is just as easy to fool a legislator as it is to fool anyone else. It will be wise then to let your representatives hear from you and to give him the benefit of your advice and wishes.

The Planter and Ranchman will undertake to keep in touch with the legislature and let its readers know the most important things that are before the legislature. It is our hope to keep you so well informed concerning proposed legislation that you can talk over those matters in your local and county meetings and act as a body in letting your representatives know what you want. We want to make the Planter and Ranchman the servant of the farmers of Pontotoc county and we hope to help you in every possible way.

There are several things you can act on now without waiting a day. You can let your representatives know that you are opposed to spending \$340,000 for a football track at the state university. You can let them know that you are opposed to appropriating all the money that the legislature is being asked to appropriate. You can let them know that you oppose any public building program at this session. You can let them know that you are opposed to creating any more state institutions at this time. You can do that now and should do that now.

What Others Say

Oklahoma News: Pullman porter restored \$1,500 he found in a berth. Six months ago he would have thought it was a tip.

Miami News: Bellicose nations will please postpone action until Leonard Wood gets into the cabinet.

Oklahoman: "Uncle Joe" is incurable. After being in congress for forty-three years and ten months, he still wants more of it.

Tulsa World: Clara Smith Hamon declares that she loves all men. That's why we have cancelled our reservation for a seat at the press table when her trial comes on.

Fort Smith Times-Record: A Tulsa citizen has filed suit claiming a fourth interest in a laundry that has been sold. Rather looks like he might have been "cleaned."

Miami News: With Christmas come and gone, father has nothing to worry about but the bills from the butcher, the baker and the coal man—and his new income tax.

Shawnee News: The six-page daily in Oklahoma is fast becoming the rule rather than the exception, "since we were twenty-one."

Chickasha Express: We have an idea that somebody could do a landoffice business by starting a shop for repairing New Year's resolutions.

Ardmoreite: Incidentally speaking, the Clara Smith case was tried yesterday by the Sit and Argue club. Result of trial: Six for acquittal; six withholding their decision pending final adjustment.

Ardmoreite: The average phonograph is, at best, not conducive to sound sleep and dreamless repose, but when that instrument has an ingrown and deeply seated and seemingly incurable case of asthma, conditions pass beyond the realms of fancy and expression.

Tulsa Tribune: Down at Muskogee they are beginning to learn how to handle the profiteering landlord. Tenants have told them they will not pay the increase demanded nor move. And the assessor comes along with the promise to increase the property valuation on the basis of the present high rentals. Muskogee rents have been boosted 81 percent since November, 1919.

AVALANCHE ROBS MOUNT BLANC OF TITLE OF HIGHEST EUROPEAN MOUNTAIN PEAK



Photos show party placing American flag on a peak of Mount Blanc when the peak was named after President Wilson.

Part of the limestone pyramid, which forms the peak of Mount Blanc, known as the highest mountain in Europe, split and fell a few days ago and started a giant avalanche which traveled nearly ten miles. The great mass of limestone, rock, snow and ice tore out the whole forest of Pourtaud. It threw giant pine trees and boulders about like matches and marbles. It came to a halt just at the edge of the Italian village of Pourtaud. The dislodged piece of the mountain peak took 600 feet from the peak's height—which was 15,782 feet—and left Mount Blanc below Mount Rosa in height.

Thrilling Speaker to Give Ada Boosters Valuable Pointers

Preparations are being made by Secretary Walker of the Chamber of Commerce for the meeting to be held Monday night at which Hon. Nels S. Darling of Oklahoma City will be the principal speaker.

"He is going to give us something to make us think," Mr. Walker said this morning, "and we are anxious that all who have the city's interests at heart hear him."

Speaking of an address delivered at that place by Mr. Darling, one of the leading papers of Fort Smith, Ark., says:

"Mr. Darling spoke for an hour and a half in a thrilling vein. One moment the audience would be cheering with frenzy, the next laughing in highest glee, then all would be silent as the speaker launched into a beautiful flight of language. At the end of the first half hour the speaker tried to quit but the audience would not permit him to leave them. They called him back with applause that would not be stopped."

ONE DEAD, ONE DYING, RESULT OF GUN FIGHT

(By the Associated Press.)
HENRYETTA, Jan. 5.—John Kinade, died in the Henryetta hospital early today as a result of a pistol duel fought in Weleetka yesterday with Nick J. Raspberry. Three brothers of Kinade's from Drumright attended the last hour and will remove the body for interment. Raspberry still lives but his condition is critical. Jealousy is said to be the cause of the trouble.

LEASE HOLDERS ASK EXTENSION OF TERM

(By the Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Oil lease holders on Osage Indian lands in Oklahoma appeared today before the senate Indian affairs committee to urge passage of the Owen bill extending the leases until 1956. The first witnesses were J. J. Skeen and David B. Connolly of Tulsa, whose leases have ten years to run under the present law.

Read the News Want Ads.

Arrangements May Be Made Monday To Fix Byng Bridge

County Commissioners Brumley, Laughlin and Pace, and Secretary Walker of the Ada Chamber of Commerce, went to the Byng bridge Wednesday afternoon, to inspect the structure, and see if anything could be done to make travel more safe for the persons who have to cross the South Canadian at that place.

Several reports have reached Ada of teams getting logged-up and cars foundering in the stream while attempting to cross since the low water bridge was partly washed away last July. The county commissioners have been handicapped about being able to repair the bridge because of the fact that the South Canadian is the border between Pontotoc and Seminole counties, and the two counties must co-operate and act in conjunction with the state highway department in making the repairs.

The commissioners decided to inspect the structure and the crossing, and if a dangerous condition was found to exist for persons who found it necessary to cross, they would post signs warning the public to not to try to cross until some temporary structure could be erected.

The commissioners stayed at the damaged bridge for over two hours and watched a number of cars and other vehicles cross the stream. No trouble was encountered by any one, and as nearly as they could tell there was no danger in the crossing. The water was found to be not over six inches deep, the bed of the stream was well-packed and free of water-holes. The course of the road across the stream was clearly discernable, and easy to follow.

The commissioners returned to Ada feeling that the posting of

warning signs was not necessary at this time, and feeling that there is no danger of future accidents if the proper care is exercised by drivers.

The commissioners announced just before adjourning Wednesday afternoon that they would attend a meeting at Oklahoma City next Monday, when all of the commissioners of the state have been requested to meet with the highway department. While in the city they will try to arrange for a joint meeting with the commissioners of Seminole county and the state highway department for the purpose of arriving at some mutual understanding and making some definite plans to rebuild the damaged bridge.

The Pontotoc county commissioners favor the plan of rebuilding submitted by the highway engineer recently, which suggests the rebuilding of the structure under the same general plan used in the old structure, but with a curtain wall added to divert the drift wood which formerly collected and contributed to the destruction of it.

The new repairs will cost approximately fifteen thousand dollars, and the amount required of Pontotoc county will be slightly over one-third of that amount.

The fact that the county treasury is low at this time is not altogether disheartening to the commissioners, as they are proceeding on the theory that the money with which to do the work can be raised in some way to take care of this important matter, and they are under the impression that they will have some good news for persons who use the Ada-Konawa road when they return from Oklahoma City.

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Bills of Exchange	35,411.31
Cash and Sight Exchange	157,441.96
TOTAL	\$1,600,682.85

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